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Five Cents

Milk Buyers Save Despite Price Rise

Latest developments in the Milk Buyers' Club have been the increase in the price of milk from 11 cents to 12 cents per quart and the announcement by Holbrook Farms Dairy, the company supplying the club members with milk, that it will not serve any new members of the club living outside of Greenbelt.

The rise in the price of milk was credited to the fact that the U. S. Department of Agriculture passed a new milk order effective September 8, raising the price of milk to the farmers. The dairies passed this increase on to the consumers. The regular retail price of delivered milk in this area is 14 cents and 15 cents per quart, depending on the dairy supplying the milk. Club members get their milk for 12 cents a quart, two or three cents below the regular price.

On October 1, 1941, the names of 16 families living in the College Park area were sent to Holbrook Farms Dairy with the request that they be serviced and billed as club members. On October 2, a representative of the dairy called Mrs. Roller, president of the Milk Buyers' Club, and told her that the dairy would not accept the new members from out of Greenbelt, but that it would serve new members living in Greenbelt, and would continue to serve all old members living both in and out of Greenbelt. An executive committee meeting of the Milk Buyers' Club was held and it was decided that a committee should contact the dairy. A meeting was held with the manager of the dairy on October 6. He indicated that the dairy would not change its position. Plans are being made for a membership meeting.

Fulmer Booklet "Greenbelt" Published

BY D. W. HULL.

Kline Fulmer, former Assistant Community Manager, has written a pamphlet about Greenbelt that every one in town, and many students of modern housing, will want to read. It is the only complete, fair, penetrating account of Greenbelt that I have yet seen. In easy to read prose Mr. Fulmer covers the construction phase, the problems of design and planning, social implications, the activities of management, the co-operative enterprises; in short, an appraisal of Greenbelt and its significance to modern society.

Mr. Fulmer has based his account of Greenbelt on facts, and supplies them in quantity. His conclusions and interpretations seem logical and effective. To one who knows the quick, keen humor of Mr. Fulmer's conversation, it is something of a disappointment to find so little of it in his writing, but he compensates for this with a number of brief stories and episodes that bring out his points effectively.

One may hope that this pamphlet will have a wide circulation, especially among the editors and journalists who have consciously or unconsciously twisted their feature articles to condemn the Greenbelt plan. Many of us in town will wish to have copies to send to the skeptics back home. I don't know the price of the pamphlet, as it is not given on the title page, but I am in the market, Mr. Fulmer, for at least two copies.

G. H. A. President Names Committee Chairmen

Committee chairmen for the Greenbelt Health Association were named at the October 2 meeting of the board of directors of that organization as follows: Mrs. Leah Chinitz, education; Mrs. Theodora Wilson, grievance; Mrs. Gardner Riley, hospitalization; Sherrod East, legislative; and Eugene Hesse, membership.

Polio Funds Now Available

In co-operation with other interested county groups, a serious situation on the funds raised by the President's Birthday Balls and the Mile O' Dimes was ironed out by prompt and effective action by the Greenbelt Citizens' Association, in obtaining the good offices of United States Senator George Radcliffe to remedy the critical condition.

Senator Radcliffe was informed, as chairman of the State committees on the President's Birthday Ball, that there were two existent committees in Prince Georges County, one, the old committee under Dr. James I. Boyd, of Forestville, active until the last ball, and a new one appointed by a delegation at Hyattsville before the last one, under the chairmanship of Fred Gast, of Cheverly, which has the 1941 funds.

Due to the conflicting jurisdictions, just as the first serious outbreak struck the county, it developed upon inquiry by the Welfare Committee chairman, Mrs. Linden S. Dodson, that the funds which are so urgently needed to obtain immediate expert aid for stricken victims of infantile paralysis, were not available.

Senator Radcliffe held a meeting on October 6 with the two chairmen, which resulted in the naming of Dr. Boyd to the post of chairman of the consolidated committees.

Not only are the funds now available which were closed before, but in addition, it is advised that the national fund will contribute additional assistance to fight infantile paralysis.

Air-raid Practice Under Way Here

Air-raid practice drill started in Greenbelt yesterday, October 9. Volunteers were chosen at a meeting Wednesday night to help with operations, working in two-hour shifts, from 6 A. M. to 6 P. M.

In charge as chief observer is George Panagoulis, with police officers Robert Dove and John Belton acting as assistant observers.

Part of a program covering the entire eastern seaboard, maneuvers will continue every day except Sunday, until Wednesday, October 16.

According to Mr. Panagoulis, more volunteers are needed. Anyone interested is urged to get in touch with him.

Gym Class Schedule Announced for Fall

Gym classes for adults will begin on Wednesday, October 22. The first class—the women's—will be held on that date from 8 until 10:30 p.m. Men's classes will start on Thursday night, October 23, from 7:30 until 10:30.

High school girls will have gym classes on Wednesday also, from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

Scout Troop 252 Get Cabin Site

Boy Scouts of Troop 252 selected a site for a troop cabin last Sunday and began breaking ground for the structure. The building will be erected on a 100-foot square at the Prince Georges County Scout camp just south of Greenbelt.

All construction and costs will be borne by the Scouts themselves, although fathers and troop committeemen have indicated their intention to give a helping hand. Present plans call for a 14-foot by 18-foot cabin erected of logs.

Police Boys' Club Plans Local Unit

With the announced intention of organizing a unit in Greenbelt, the Prince Georges County Police Boys Club will begin a fund raising drive on October 14. A goal of \$20,000 has been set for this fourth annual drive in order to cover the operating expenses for a year and to finance the expansion program which will include the new unit in Greenbelt.

The drive will open with an address by Governor O'Connor in College Park and will continue through November 15.

Nearly 1600 youths are members of the club and it is reported that juvenile delinquency in the county has greatly decreased during the four years that the club has been in existence.

In addition to paying operating expenses and financing the expansion program, part of the funds raised by the drive this year will be placed in a building fund for a new clubhouse.

The Police Boys Club sponsored the boxing matches which were so well received at the last Town Fair.

A Parting Word With Fred Wilde

BY ANN HULL.

Fred Wilde is another old-timer whose job will soon take him from Greenbelt. There is scarcely a phase of community life he has not interested himself in; he may be partially described as financier, athlete, and all-around good mixer. As past president of the Credit Union and present member of the Credit Committee, he probably knows more about the personal finances of Greenbelt folks than any one else in town. Fred figures this knowledge has considerably helped his career as softball umpire with the Athletic Association. "If some player wanted to argue my decision," he remarks, "He'd suddenly remember he wanted a loan next week from the Credit Union. I've never had a bit of trouble." When not "umpiring" Fred's favorite sports were tennis and golf.

Fred told the reporter that his principal interest has been the Community Church, and his actions speak for his words. He has served on its organizing committee, its finance committee for three years, and sings with its choir every Sunday, where his excellent tenor voice will be very much missed.

Being on a board of directors is old stuff to Fred; in addition to the Community Church and the Credit Union he helped organize both the Health Association and Greenbelt Consumers' Services. Fred discovered that the co-operative movement was in his blood when he happened this summer upon an old book describing the activities of his Danish great grandfather, Hanson, who helped form a co-operative in Bingley, England, in 1850. Fred came to this country from Bingley, in Yorkshire, when only six years old. He has lived and worked in Rhode Island, New York and California. During World War I he enlisted at the Newport Naval Training Station six months before the Armistice, seeing the action in reverse as he spent the entire time in quarantine for the flu.

A Department of Agriculture job brought him to Washington and to Greenbelt in November, 1937; the same Department is now responsible for his going away. His position in New York is with the Meat Inspection Division. Almost all meat now exported from this country will go through Fred's office. He reports that 52 million pounds were sent last week to Britain and Russia. Mr. and Mrs. Wilde and Janet, a senior in high school, will locate in a Scarsdale apartment. "Wish I could take the house with me," sighs Mrs. Wilde, "You just can't find anything like this up there." When asked for some philosophizing on Greenbelt life, Fred remarked, "Changes come slowly."

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Housing, Councilmen's Salaries Among Topics at G. C. A. Meeting

The first fall meeting of the Citizens' Association on October 6, in marked contrast to the preceding meeting at which the Town Council candidates spoke, was sparsely attended, the chair announcing a minimum quorum present. This was in spite of the important business which was discussed, and the announcement of the issuance of the Association discount cards to members.

The membership committee reported completion of the "Block Captain—Court Representative" plan whereby everyone in Greenbelt may arrange through a neighbor to present ideas or grievances for a hearing on a specific agenda of the Association. It was announced that 75 contact men for the Association will be the result of the completed plan. Court representatives were advised of the need

for informing newcomers and re-awakening interest in people of their own groups.

Mrs. Linden S. Dodson recounted, for the Welfare Committee, the successful handling of a serious situation with the aid of the executive committee of the association. She stated that although Greenbelt had contributed over \$500 to the President's Birthday Balls and to the Mile O' Dimes, through the Citizens' Association, when the need arose for aid in obtaining funds, she found that application to two co-existing committees failed to secure any results.

According to the report, contact with Public Health Officer Byers resulted in her being referred to Dr. James I. Boyd of Forestville, who, in turn, advised that current funds were in the hands of Mr. Fred Gast of Cheverly. While both chairmen were said to be straightforward when approached, neither could assure

victims. With the consent of Dr. Boyd and Mr. Gast, State Senator Radcliffe was consulted, according to Mrs. Dodson, and the situation reportedly has been corrected.

Members were informed that assistance in case of need could be secured by contacting Dr. Byers, Dr. Bennett of Johns Hopkins Hospital, or the Children's Hospital in the District, by arrangement with the Maryland Public Health Service. Expert medical advice and treatment is available without cost. This is assured under Title V, part II of the Social Security Act, and the paralysis funds, county and national.

The Ways and Means Committee, through Mrs. McNamara, announced a Halloween dance for October 25, with a name band, whose identity will be kept as a surprise, to be arranged by Larry Pinckney.

Dayton Hull announced, in discussing defense housing, that the Engineer's Office, in Farm Security Administration, had given him considerable information on the subject. The houses now being built along Ridge Rd. are only a small part of the new housing development. As planned, Hillside Rd. is to be extended and surfaced for one-third of a mile. Ridge Rd. also is to be extended in that area. The bulk of the 1,000 houses will then be built around that section, together with a new community center, comprising a school, stores and a gas station. The new school is planned to relieve pressure on the present quarters, and make it more convenient for the residents in the Hillside area.

The entire project should be completed by next spring or summer. Tenancy, however, will be slower, due to the delay in passing on applicants until tenant policies are clarified. Lanham Act limitations will also slow tenancy, because it limits tenancy to workers in defense industries and Navy Yards, and there are no nearby defense industries. Mr. Hull stated that an architectural inspection showed the new houses to be well built and of good sound material, although deficient in certain respects, owing to the low cost per home. However, he stated, the Homeowners Cooperative was favorably impressed by the J A J Construction Co.'s technique, in view of the need for private home building.

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Co-op Meeting Set for November

Plans are now being formulated for the next quarterly meeting of the stockholders of Greenbelt Consumer Services on November 5. Each year the cooperative's membership holds quarterly or special meetings on the first Wednesday in May, August and November and an annual meeting on the first Wednesday in February.

This will be the first membership meeting under the leadership of the new president, Frank J. Lastner, who was elected to the board at the August 6 meeting and succeeded to the presidency of the cooperative at the new board's first meeting. Later, Mr. Lastner was also elected to Greenbelt's Town Council last month.

Subscribers who wish to vote or participate in the forthcoming stockholders' third quarterly meeting must have one share fully paid by October 21. The by-laws provide that every stockholder owning a Class A or voting share must be on record in the books of the cooperative 15 days before the meeting in order to participate in voting.

In accordance with the by-laws the notice and agenda must be prepared and mailed to members 10 days before the meeting and no other business than that specifically stated in the notice may be transacted at the quarterly meetings. Members desiring to get items on the agenda should submit such items in writing to the board not later than October 21.

Other board members elected in August were Charles W. Adams, Clifford A. Moyer, and Denzil D. Wood. The latter was re-elected while the others were serving as directors of G. C. S. for the first time. Holdover members were Howard C. Custer, Lloyd B. MacEwen, and Mrs. Ella G. Roller whose terms will expire in February.

Charles E. Fitch and Walter R. Volckhausen were other members of the board whose terms had six months to run at the time of the second quarterly meeting two months ago. Both of them, however, submitted their resignations at the first meeting of the new board. W. Earl Thomas and Tessim Zorach, who tied for fifth place in that election, were appointed to fill the offices for the unexpired terms.

Parents Board Meets October 14

The Parents Board of the Nursery School will meet in the basement of 14 Parkway, October 14, to hear and discuss reports of various committees and particularly those committees which met September 30, at the house of Mrs. Ed Walther. This is an open meeting and those interested in the work of the Nursery School are invited to attend and see the equipment and rooms which are used by the children.

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Let's Do a Little Dusting Off

Our former council left unacted an ordinance to regulate bicycles in Greenbelt. This regulation should not be allowed to gather too much dust. We realize that statutory regulations should be the last step in controlling a situation, but we feel that all other means have failed and it is necessary to protect our citizens through the use of the law.

We have recently noticed the increasing daring of our young cyclists in the town center. Their antics endanger not only themselves, but any person who happens to be walking in the center. In fact, we saw one careless cyclist almost run down an infant that had strayed from its mother for a second. If the bicycle had struck this child there would have been another traffic death in Greenbelt. We have seen these riders come down a one-way street the wrong way, in complete disregard for the right-of-way law and all safety rules. We have seen them riding down the sidewalks of our town forcing pedestrians to take to the sides for protection. These things must stop.

Housing

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Donald Cooper, in reporting on the summer activities of Scout Troop 252, announced a barbecue on October 18, which interested adults may attend at 50c each, while prospective scouts 12 years of age or older may come free, if they register with Scoutmaster Chick Turner at 2-K Westway, a week before. Mr. Cooper announced that the troop is building its own cabin, which can be occupied for the purpose of interested people in Greenbelt.

Director of Public Safety Panagoulis introduced the new town bicycle ordinance, under which a bicycle must be permanently registered for a maximum fee of 50 cents, for which a plate and registration card will be issued. This will facilitate recovery of lost or stolen bikes, permit the police to check on bicycle violators of town ordinances, and permit closer supervision of bicycle lighting to prevent accidental death due to bike riding after dark without reflectors or lights. The Association went on record as favoring such an ordinance.

The Association also recorded its disapproval of any ideas about Town Council meetings during the day, when no adequate supervision by interested citizens could be exercised.

A motion to protest against the increase of Councilmen's salaries to \$250 a year, was tabled for consideration by the Legislative and Town Administrative Committees under its new chairman, Marjan P. Staniec.

Councilmen Barker and Bauer were present and asked for a more consistent effort on the part of the citizens to keep the council informed as to the desires of the towns people, so as to guide their actions on matters such as daytime meetings and continuation of the municipal hospital in spite of a deficit. Mr. Barker pointed out, with reference to salaries, that the Town Charter does not permit any council to take any action to affect its own salaries, and that the new salary ordinance places a top limit of \$250, but does not specify this amount.

New chairmen of standing committees were announced as follows: Public relations, Lyman L. Woodman; legislative and town administration, Marjan P. Staniec; public safety, Ben Rosenzweig; door-to-door mail service, S. H. Downs.

Greenbelt's daily commuters, after hours of fighting the Washington traffic, have come to the conclusion that Mr. Van Duzer is an engineer but a second look at the traffic convinces them that instead of being of the traffic variety he most certainly is of the stationery type.

Community Church News

Sunday, October 12, will mark an important anniversary in Greenbelt's church history. It is the fourth year of the town community life.

The impending departure of Fred L. Wilde, who will leave on October 14 for New York, will play an important part in the services for that day. Local newspaper readers stated that there is a sense of community life which is not richer because of Mr. Wilde's participation.

Fred Wilde started serving on the original church organization committee. For three and a half years he has been a member of the finance committee. He has also been choir director, and has assisted musically with the church school and in the Men's Bible Class.

That the church service on October 12 may be designated as the "Fred Wilde Service," as a tribute to Mr. Wilde and his work, was indicated by church leaders, who expressed a desire to invite to the service persons of all faiths.

At the close of the morning worship, there will be a brief meeting of the membership under the chairmanship of William R. Neblett. This will be for the purpose of acquainting the membership with all facts pertaining to the filling of the pulpit, and to arrive at important decisions affecting the future of the church.

A Parting

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They're too gradual to see, and when you're living here you don't realize they're going on. Only some one who goes away, say for a year, and comes back, can appreciate changes in the people's reactions to situations and things." Fred wonders how well a "transient" town like Greenbelt will be kept together. "Who's going to introduce the new citizens to the responsibilities of community life so that occurring vacancies can be filled?"

Come back in a year or two, Fred, and see how we're doing!

Rysticken In Charge

While Braden Is Away

Roy S. Braden, as town manager of Greenbelt, left Sunday to attend a conference at which were present the town managers of Greenhills, Ohio, and Greendale, Wisconsin, which was held at Milwaukee.

Acting as town manager in Mr. Braden's absence is Arthur L. Rysticken.

MOVIE STAR JOINS U.S. NAVY



Ensign Wayne Morris Seeks Wings.

Wayne Morris, recent star of "I Wanted Wings," became a member of Uncle Sam's Navy in May, 1941, when he was appointed to the rank of Ensign.

When asked what he thought of the United States Navy, Morris said, "I think every man who is considering joining a military service should look into the 'chance of a lifetime' which the Navy and Naval Reserve offer to get into the big-pay field of the future—aviation. In the Navy you can attend the finest flight training schools in the world, and receive in-

struction from Navy pilots who introduced dive bombing, aircraft carriers and catapult take-offs to the rest of the world. Also, there are opportunities in Naval Aviation for men who don't want to fly. They can be trained as aviation machinists, metalsmiths, photographers, observers, or they can receive instruction in many other trades. It's a great life in the Navy."

Ensign Wayne Morris is pictured here in his line of duty as a member of the Naval Aviation Cadet Selection Board at the Long Beach Naval Reserve Air Base.

To the Editor--

Appreciation

To the Editor:

We want to use this means to express our appreciation for the wonderful treatment and sympathy given to Mrs. Altizer by Dr. Joseph Silagy and the nurses at the Greenbelt Hospital during our sorrow and the loss of our baby daughter, Nancy Sue. Our neighbors were also very kind and loving in their efforts to comfort and help us.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. Wilson Altizer

Buy Citrus Fruit By the Pound

When you buy oranges, whether for juice or just for eating, it's a good idea to buy them by the pound, says Consumers' Guide. That way you know how much citrus fruit you're getting for your money.

In comparing prices, remember that different size oranges and grapefruit sell at different prices so be sure you compare prices of the same size when you shop around for the best buys.

Orange sizes are measured by the number that fit into an orange crate. Large oranges range from the biggest size, No. 80 (that is, 80 oranges to the crate), down to No. 126 (126 oranges to the crate). Medium-sized oranges run from 150 to 216 to the crate. Small oranges begin at 250 to the crate and run all the way down to the kind that are almost the size of golf balls, which come 392 to a crate.

Gun Club Loses

Match to Aggies

Greenbelt Gun Club riflemen shot a Dewar Course match with the U. S. Aggies last Sunday at the Beltsville Range and lost to their opponents, 1924 to 1949 points. This was a return match, the Greenbelters having won the previous scrap. High man for the Greenbelt team was Lyman Woodman, with a score of 391.

Two picked 4-man rifle teams will be entered by Greenbelt in the National Capital Rifle Club's Seventh Annual Fall Tournament matches at Camp Simms in Anacostia this coming Sunday, October 12.

Local Gun Club Organizing Teams

The Greenbelt Gun Club is now organizing pistol and rifle teams for the coming indoor shooting season. The Club expects to operate two rifle and two pistol teams, all shooting one night a week at the gallery of the National Rifle Association in Washington in official tournaments. Any Greenbelter interested in participating in the pistol tournament should contact Paul Zimmerman, Don Kling, or Lyman Woodman for further information. Rifle shooters who wish to shoot during this gallery season with the club should get in touch with Harry Bates, Don Kern, or Harry Hesse. Previous sharpshooter ability is not necessary.

One Year Ago

(From the Cooperator of October 10, 1940)

A second Boy Scout troop was being organized under the auspices of the Greenbelt Citizens Association—Halloween costume ball planned by citizens association—the so-called 'Greenbelt plague' hits adults and children alike—Dr. Joe Still entered Hopkins School of Public Health—Ed Weitsman elected vice-president of Health Association—Successful hobby exhibit given by the children of Greenbelt Elementary School—Garden Club had visitors from the Fairfax County Garden Club.

Classified Ads

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Sunday—6:35 to 6:45 P. M.

National Big Money Bee—WFBR, 8:30 to 9 p. m. every Monday
Music a carte—WCBM, 6:30 to 7 p. m., Monday through Saturday
Big Name Bands—WITH, 11:05 to 12 Midnight, Mon. through Sat.
Goodnight Concert of Classics—Sunday at 11:05 p. m.

OUR NEIGHBORS

By SALLY MEREDITH
Hello, Greenbelt—

Bet the Sherrod Easts enjoyed their trip to New England, which they took this week. They left Sunday to attend the annual meeting of the American Association of Archivists, which was held in Hartford, Conn., and were expected back Wednesday.—The Sidney Weinsteins, 60-J Crescent Rd., returned Saturday from two weeks in New York. Now visiting them is Mrs. Weinstein's mother, Mrs. Hershwitz, who returned from New York with them.—Mr. and Mrs. George Panagoulis got back last week from Nashua, N. H., where they went to attend the wedding of George's sister.—Miss Edna Johnson, who left Tuesday, September 30, for New York, returned Sunday, after doing her best to root "dem bums" to victory.—Last week-end Graydon and Reva Harris, 36-D Crescent Rd., spent in New Jersey.

"Club 36," a local group, spent a very pleasant evening at the home of Mrs. David Breerwood last Saturday. Formed for purely social purposes, the club has a regular meeting once a month.—Young Karen Lewis, 2-J Eastway, had a birthday party last Friday, at which a large portion of Greenbelt's small-fry had a swell time. A weiner and marshmallow roast was enjoyed at the Greenbelt Lake by Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Plocek, who had as guests Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brady and Mr. and Mrs. James L. Gordon and son, Jimmy Dale, of Washington.

Mrs. Fred Wilde was the guest of honor at a surprise luncheon held Tuesday, October 7, by the Church Guild, at the home of Mrs. Cyril Turner. Present were 18 members, who presented Mrs. Wilde with a gift of a blue fiesta teapot and compote dish. As you probably know, the Wildes are leaving Greenbelt next Tuesday, for Scarsdale, N. Y.—A baby shower was held by Mrs. Peter Murdock and Mrs. George McLaughlin, at Mrs. Murdock's home, for Mrs. Joseph Murphy. Mrs. Murphy's adopted daughter, Mary Katherine, was born on Saint Patrick's day. Rather appropriate for a little Irish lass, isn't it?

Women's Club Welcomes 13 New Members

The Woman's Club of Greenbelt held a lawn party October 2, at the home of Mrs. James McCarl at which there were 25 members present.

Mrs. Georgette Ross Howard of Washington, D. C., was the guest speaker. The topic of her speech was "Current Topics," and proved to be very interesting to her audience. Mrs. Howard gave a vivid picture of the Duke and Duchess of Windsor on their recent visit to Washington and emphasized how well protected they were. She also gave a word picture of the unrest in conquered European countries and cited the gallantry of the Czecho-Slovaks. Then Mrs. Howard went on to point out that Americans feel it is "not our war" and because of this we feel unimportant and lag in defense "because we have no deadline."

After the speech, 13 new members were introduced and welcomed to the Woman's Club. The new members are: Mesdames Miles A. Bonnar, Frank H. Donoghue, Ralph Duter, Samuel Houlton, Edward Kaighn, Daniel Littlefield, Wendell Miller, Elmer Nagle, Daniel Neff, George Panagoulis, Joseph Rogers, Cyril Turner and Denzil Wood.

Refreshments were served later in the evening with Mrs. S. Hartford Downs and Mrs. Joseph Loftus assisting as hostesses.

Better Buyers Briefs

The Nifty Shoppers started their season's activities September 24, with a trip to town, dinner at the Lotus and a show at the Earle.

The next meeting was held October 1, at the home of Mrs. Dale Monford, 30-B, Crescent Rd., at which meeting new officers were elected. Mrs. Monford was elected president, Mrs. Paul Featherby, secretary, and Mrs. Henry Warner, treasurer.

Household Hints

Dear Peggie A.:

One evening after searching for the long-lost shoe polish and deciding we had not stocked up, my husband hit upon the idea of using our ever-faithful floor polish, the no-rub liquid wax. We gave it an extra rub, for good measure, and decided it works on any shoe, and what's best, it really lasts!

—Virginia Hughes.

Thanks, Virginia. And now will somebody kindly come forward with a scheme for getting white shoes white again without cleaning them?

—Peggie A.

New Babies

Brian Peter, new son of Mr. and Mrs. John Vachon, 18-C Crescent rd., was born October 3 at the Greenbelt Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Vedora of College Park announce the birth of their daughter, Edith Margaret, September 30, at the Greenbelt Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Beattie of Washington, D. C., are the parents of a baby boy, born at the Greenbelt Hospital. The baby was born October 2 and has been named Kirk Preston.

Woman's Guild

The Woman's Guild is sending out its last call for the Greenbelt Cook Book. If you have any good recipes see or phone Mrs. Miles A. Bonnar, 35-G Ridge Rd., or Mrs. Fred DeJager, 58-L, Crescent Rd.

Here, Kitty, Kitty!

Lovers of canned salmon have reason to rejoice. The largest catch of chinook salmon in 30 years—5,000,000 pounds in the first three days of the fall season—was announced recently.

This big catch should mean at least a partial end to the shortage caused by increased consumer demand plus huge government buying. It should also mean a drop from the steep prices at which salmon has recently been selling both at wholesale and retail.

The difference between red salmon, pink salmon, and chum salmon, is first of all one of price. Red salmon retails for two to three times as much as chum salmon, while pink salmon comes in between the two extremes.

There are five principal kinds of salmon canned: chinook, sockeye, coho, pink, and chum salmon.

Chinook and sockeye contain more oil than the other kinds of salmon, have a more delicate flavor, take longer to mature, are less plentiful, and cost more. Sockeye is red, while chinook ranges in color from red to white. Usually chinook salmon is sold under that name.

Coho is a silver salmon that stands in color, flavor, and oil content somewhere between red and pink salmon.

The humpback is the source of pink salmon. It, too, has a delicate flavor and a flaky texture, though it contains less oil than chinook, sockeye, or coho. It is much more plentiful than the red varieties and sells for considerably less.

Least expensive canned salmon,

chum, comes from the dog salmon. Canned, it is whitish in color and considerably less oily than the other varieties.

Despite the difference in oiliness, the salmon are approximately equal in food value, and are all good sources of Vitamins A and D and of protein. When you prepare salmon, it's important to remember that there are valuable vitamins in the liquid; don't pour it off.

Prince Georges County Woman's Clubs to Celebrate Silver Anniversary

The Prince Georges County Woman's Clubs will celebrate their 25th anniversary at the county semi-annual meeting to be held at the University of Maryland, October 31, 1941, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. A 75 cent luncheon will be served and all members are welcome.

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Standards Hearing Postponed Again

November 3 instead of October 6 is the new date set for the hearing on identity standards for macaroni, spaghetti, and related products. Revision of the original proposals, published in the Federal Register of August 29, 1941, has also been made. The hearing will commence at 10

o'clock in room 1039, South Building, Independence ave. and 14th St. S. W., Washington, D. C.

New table cloths have been purchased by the Woman's Guild of the Community Church, and are ready for rental to any group. Any one interested may phone Mrs. Samuel Houlton, Greenbelt 5691 for further details.

County Health Officer Loaned For Emergency

Dr. Nelson Podolnick was recently appointed assistant Public Health Officer for Prince Georges County. An officer of the United States Public Health Service, Dr. Podolnick is on loan to the county for the duration of the national emergency.

Literary Study Group Considers Topics

An organization meeting of the Literary Study Group will be held in the library at 8.00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 14.

Suggested topics of study are "American Literature," and "The Development of the Modern Novel." Further suggestions will be discussed at the meeting Tuesday.

Stringed Orchestra Totals 12 Members

Greenbelt's stringed orchestra now totals 12 members, and will meet each Friday night under the direction of Henri Sokolov, who will also act as their instructor.

Eight instruments were purchased at the meeting last Friday. More instruments will be on display at the meeting tonight.

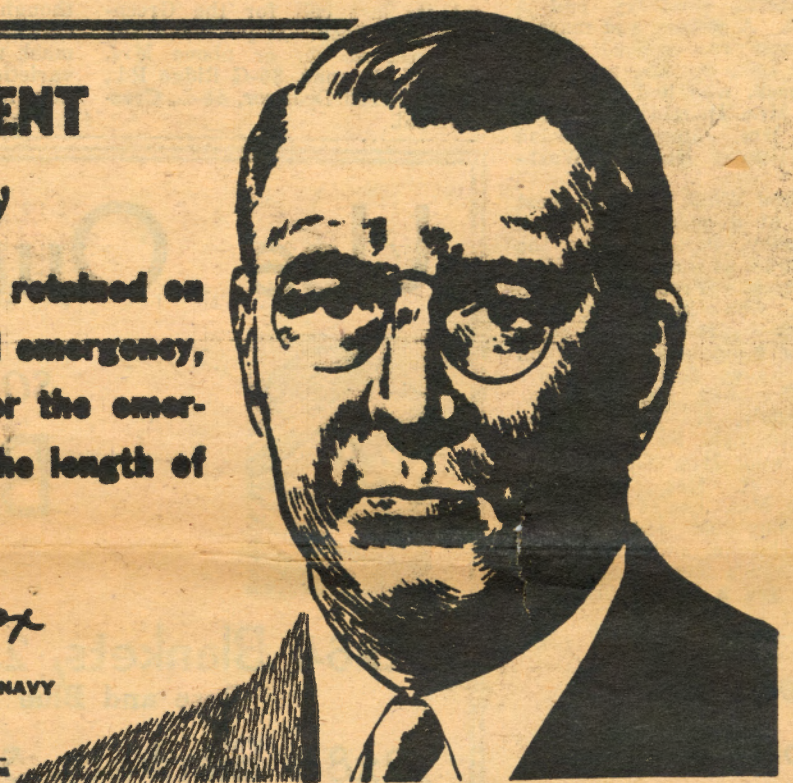
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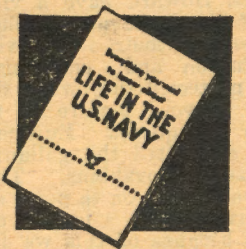
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